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SUPPLEMENTAL RESPONSE

Sir:

An RCE, Amendment and Response, Information Disclosure Statement, and PTO/SB/08A for the above-identified application was filed on October 15, 2004 via facsimile with the Patent and Trademark Office. Due to the size of the enclosed draft standards, we are filing them separately via first class mail.

In a telephonic interview on September 21, 2004 as reflected in an Interview Summary dated September 24, 2004, the Examiner requested a copy of the IEEE 802.15.3 and IEEE 802.15.4 as they existed at the time the application was filed.

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Responsive to that request, please find enclosed a Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement and PTO/SB/08B with draft standards IEEE 802.15.3 and IEEE 802.15.4.

Although it is not anticipated that any fees are due or payable, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees that may be required to Deposit Account No. 50-1147.

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Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.56, the references listed on the attached Form PTO/SB/08 are being submitted for consideration by the Examiner without any admission that they constitute statutory prior art, or without any admission that they contain subject matter that anticipates the invention or renders the invention obvious to a person of ordinary skill in the art.

An RCE with amendment was filed on October 15, 2004 and this Information Disclosure Statement is being filed prior to any resultant Office Action. Please note that the references on form PTO/SB/08 were recently requested by the Examiner in the Interview Summary dated September 24, 2004.

Although no fees are believed to be due at this time, it is respectfully requested that any such fees be charged to Deposit Account 50-1147. Also, the Examiner is requested to initial the attached PTO Form-1449 and to return a copy of same to the undersigned attorney as proof that the listed references have been considered and made of record.

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